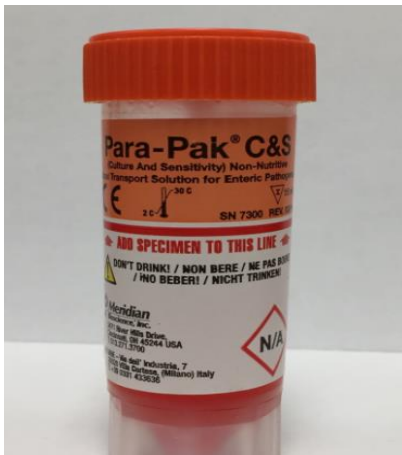


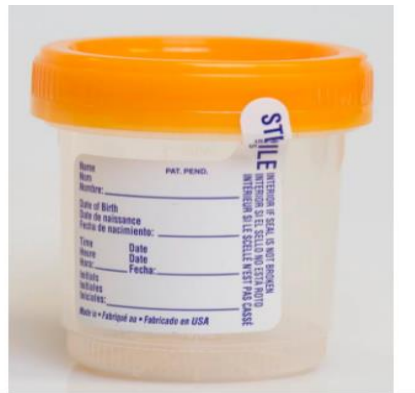
Stool Specimen Containers

Prior to specimen collection: avoid the use of antacids, barium, bismuth, anti-diarrheal medication, or oily laxatives. Pass specimen directly into a clean, dry container. Transfer to collection device. Stool should not be contaminated with urine.

- **Stool Culture**
(Refrigerate up to 2 days)
- **Yersinia or Vibrio Cultures**
(Refrigerate up to 2 days)
- **Giardia/Crypto Antigen**
(aka O & P screen)
(Refrigerate up to 3 days)

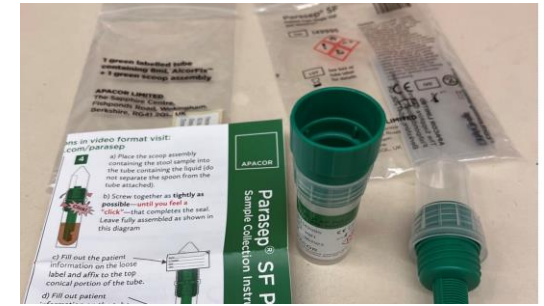


- **White Blood Cells (GSD)***
(***MUST** be returned to Elliot Hospital *within 2 hours* of collection)
- **C. difficile Screen** (*Liquid, loose, watery, non-formed stool only. Refrigerate up to 7 days*)
- **Calprotectin**
(*Must be refrigerated up to 7 days*)
- **Lactoferrin** (*Room temperature or refrigerated for up to 14 days*)
- **H. pylori antigen** (*Refrigerate up to 4 days*)
- **Rotavirus** (*Refrigerate up to 3 days*)



➤ *Sterile cups may vary based on supply demands.*

- **Full Ova and Parasites**
(ARUP reference lab test)
(*Room temperature up to 7 days*)



- **Stool for Occult Blood (IFOB)**
(*Room temperature up to 6 days*)

